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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ronald N. Kessler

Serial No: 10/092,197

Examiner: Thomas, A.

Filed: March 5, 2002

Art Unit: 1772

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Confirmation No.: 1910

For: FLOOR MAT SYSTEM

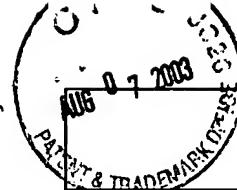
Docket: 1474009US4APP

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT "A"

In response to the Office Action dated May 8, 2003, the Applicant respectfully requests the entry of the following amendments.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER
Under Small Entity Status

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Invention: FLOOR MAT SYSTEM

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	21	MINUS	20	1	9.00	\$9
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	3	1	42.00	\$42

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of _____ to and through _____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

_____ one month \$55 _____ three months \$465 _____ five months \$985
_____ two months \$205 _____ four months \$725

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT \$51.00

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

Information Disclosure Statement \$180.00

Terminal Disclaimer \$55.00

A check in the amount of \$ 286.00 is attached.

Charge \$ to Deposit Account _____.

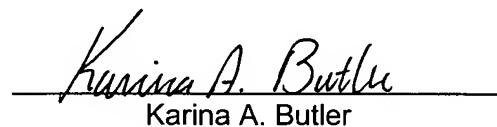
No additional fee is required.

August 4, 2003
Date



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